

USDA Farm Service Agency

2004 Children's Activity Calendar



From APRI COTS to ZINFANDEL
GRAPES, American crops are an
alphabet of goodness!



JANUARY

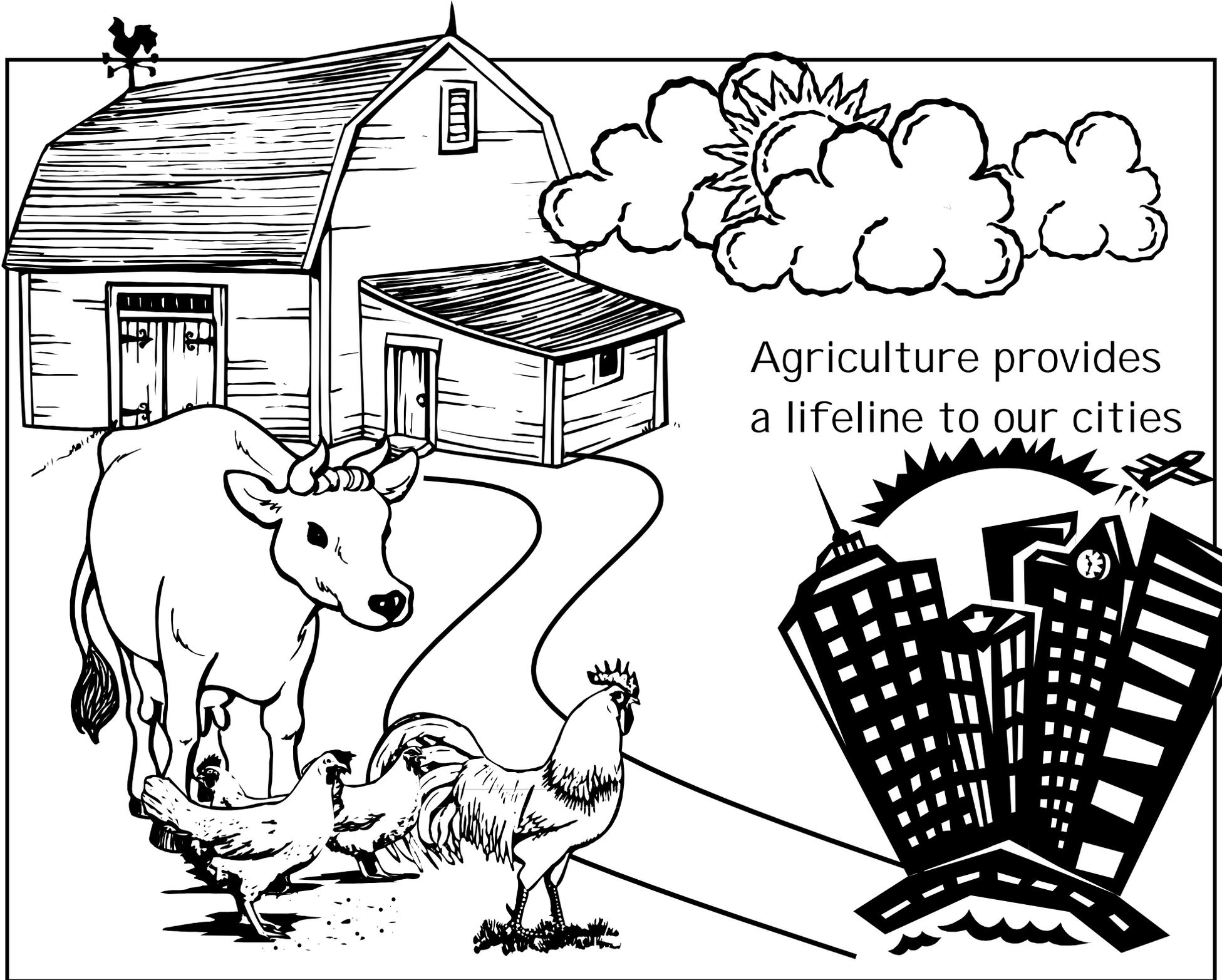
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 New Years Day 	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19 Martin Luther King Jr.'s Day 	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Celebrate the harvest



FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Ground Hog Day 	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 Valentines Day 
15	16 Washington's Birthday – Federal holiday! 	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29 Leap Year! 						



Agriculture provides
a lifeline to our cities

MARCH

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 National Ag Week 	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day 	18	19	20 Ag Day 
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

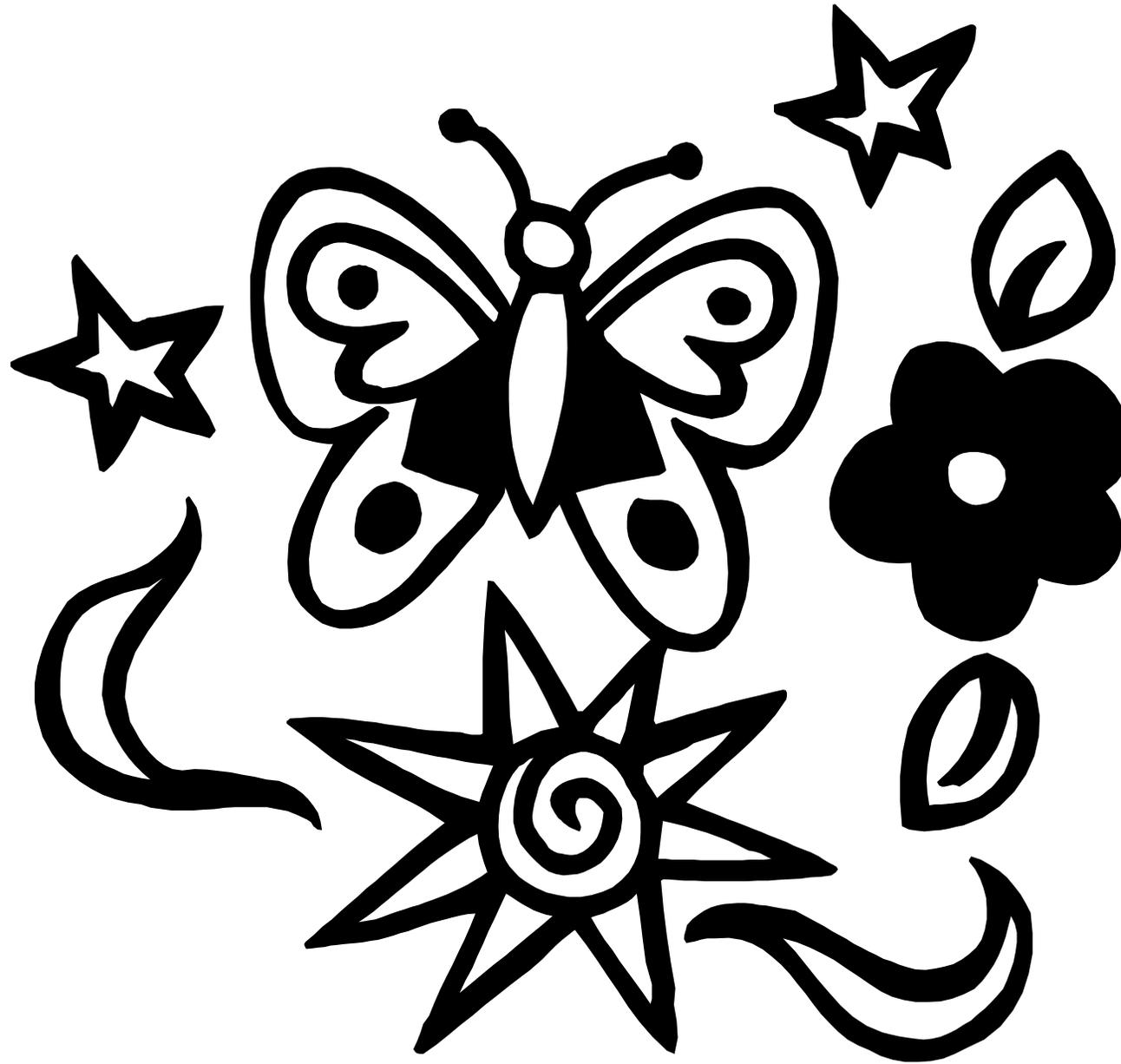


Cotton is grown on 35,000 US farms, producing about 17.2 million bales a year. Each bale can make 215 pairs of jeans, 249 bed sheets or 313,600 \$100 bills!



APRIL

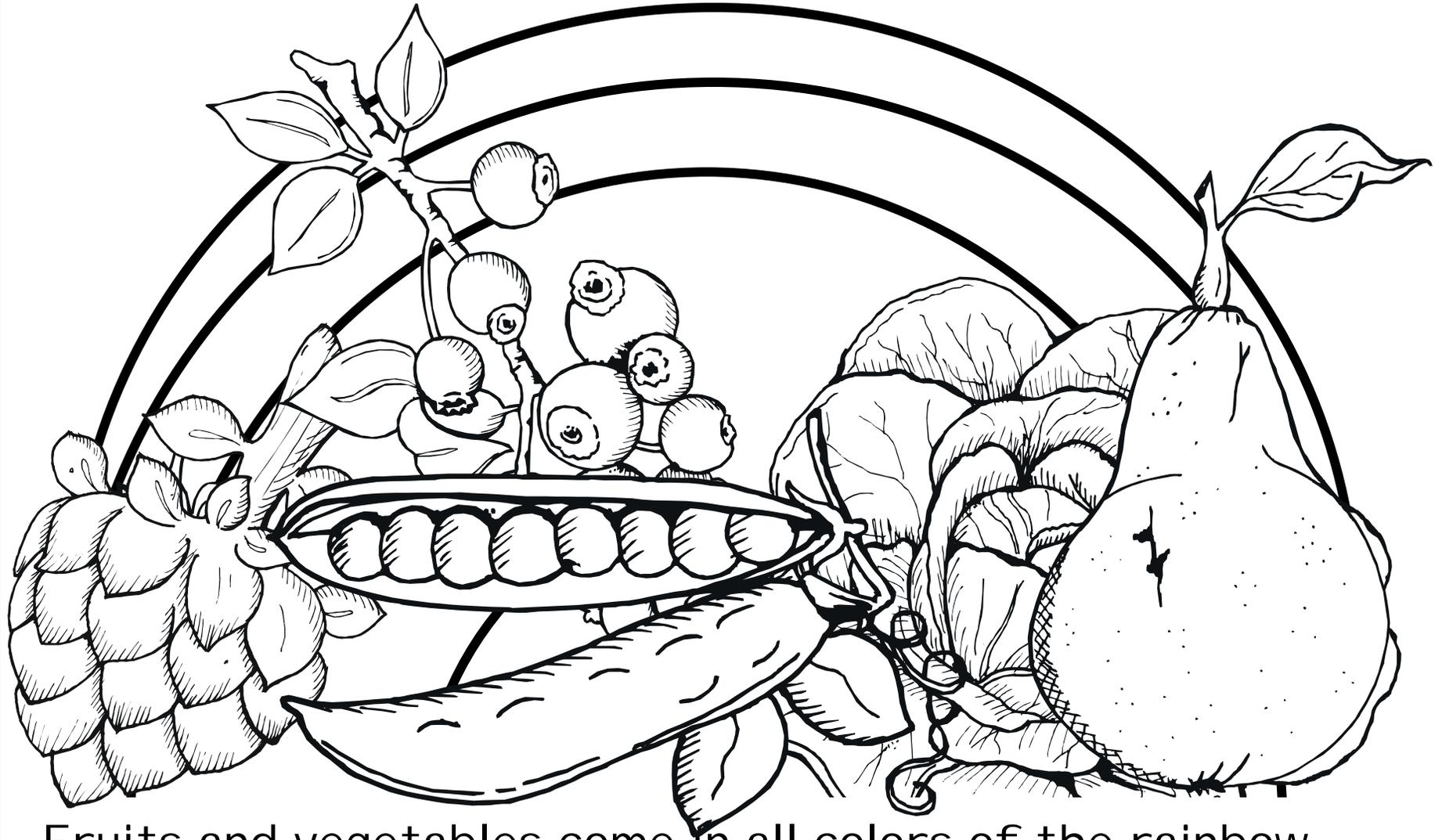
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 April Fools Day 	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 Easter 	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Earth Day 	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	



Farmers grow the flowers that make the season "spring" to life! Top "floriculture" states are: California, Florida, Michigan, Texas & Ohio.

MAY

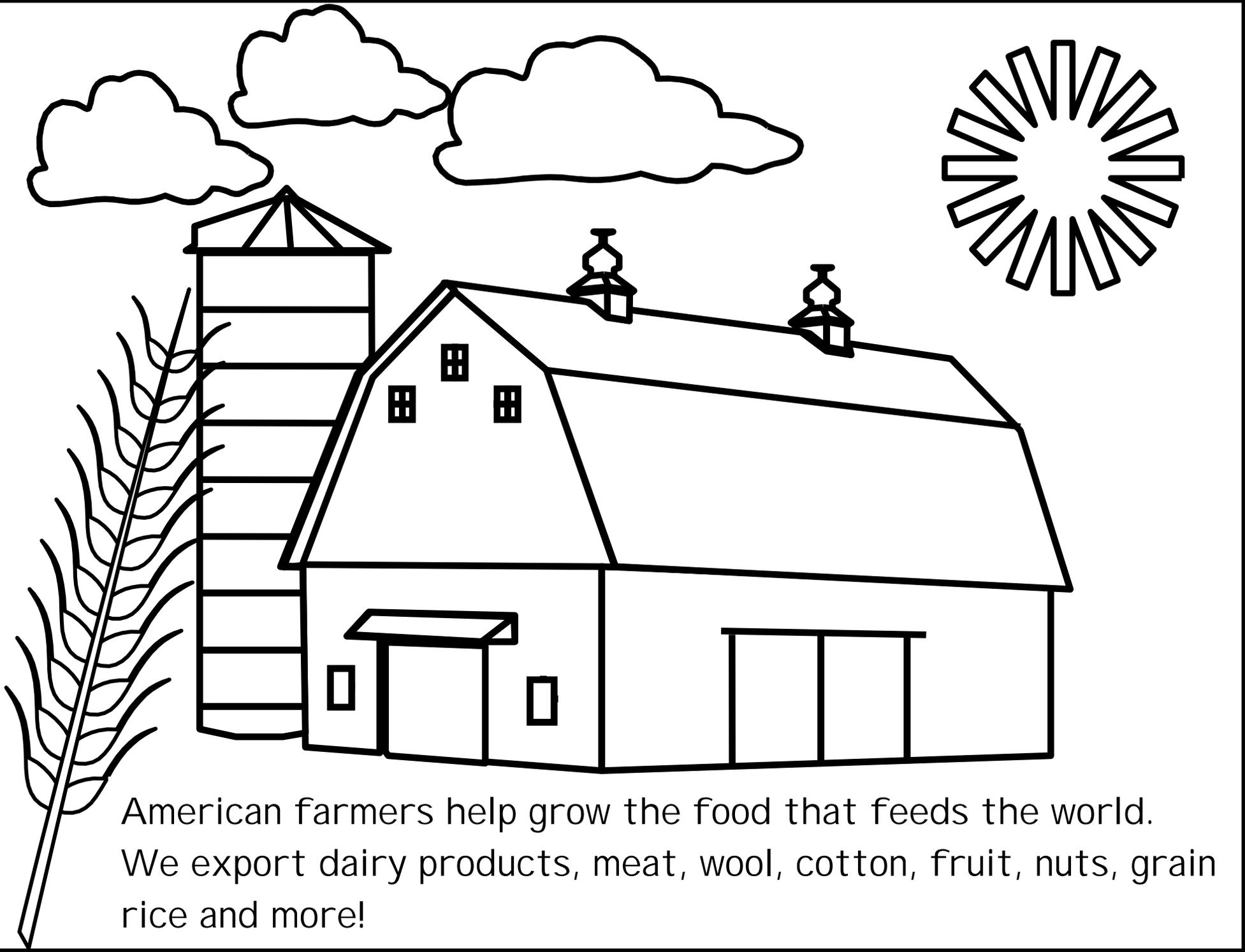
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 May Day 
2	3	4	5 Cinco de Mayo 	6	7	8
9 Mothers Day 	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23/30	24/31 Memorial Day – Federal holiday	25	26	27	28	29



Fruits and vegetables come in all colors of the rainbow. From deep red to bright green, orange and yellow, these colors come from natural ingredients. They give them their color and their healthy properties.

JUNE

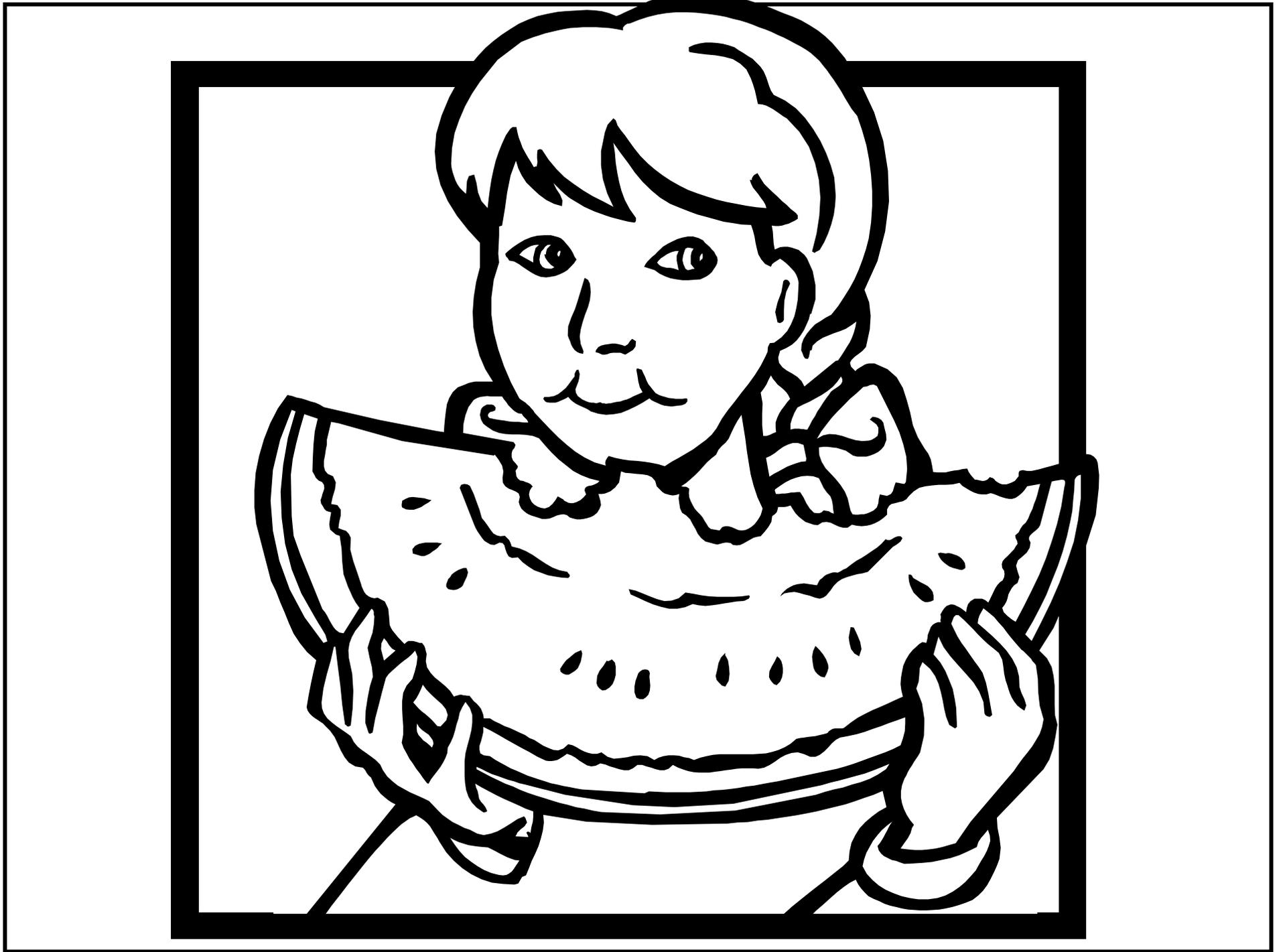
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 US Flag Day 
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20 Fathers Day 	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			



American farmers help grow the food that feeds the world.
We export dairy products, meat, wool, cotton, fruit, nuts, grain
rice and more!

JULY

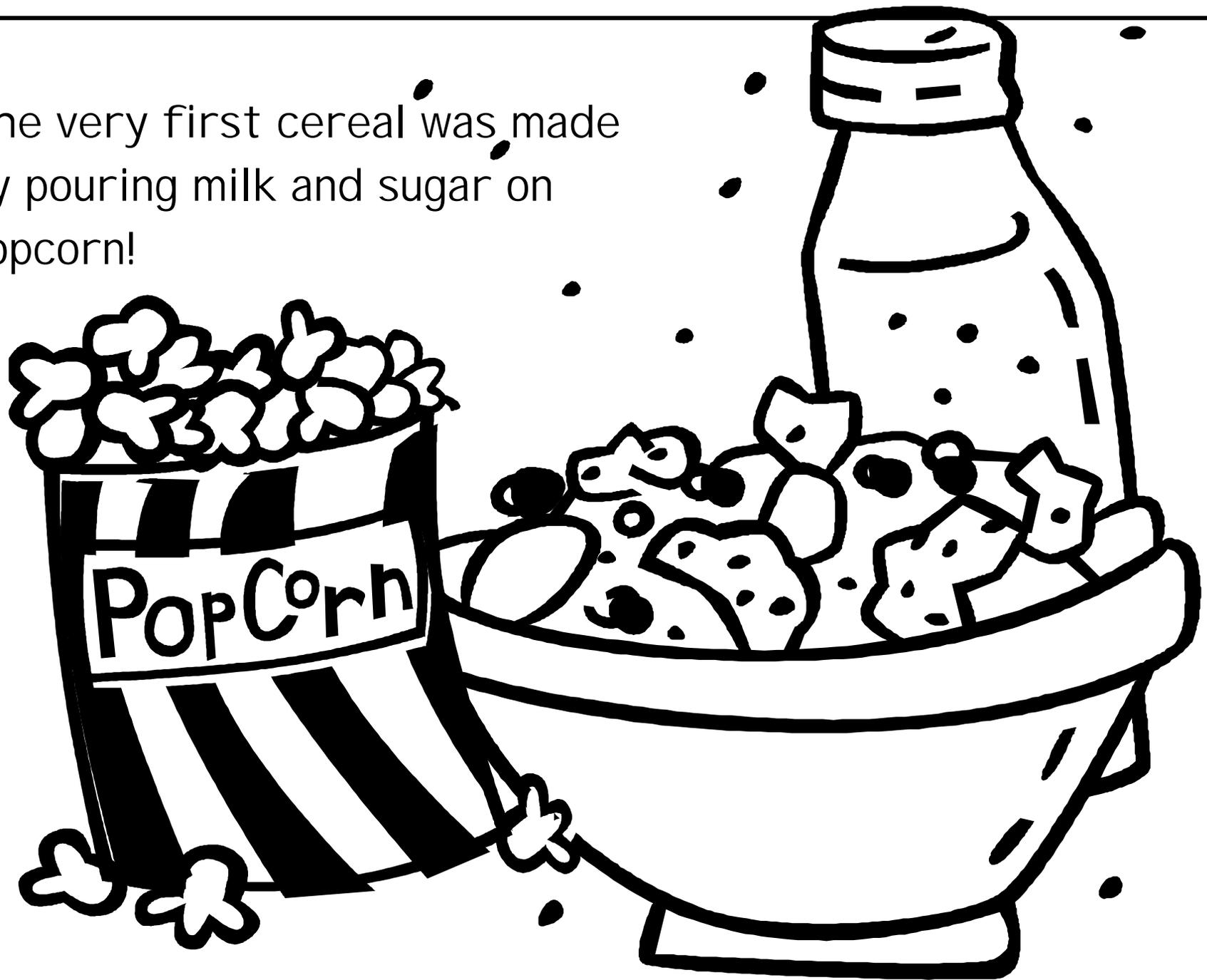
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4 Independence Day 	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



AUGUST

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

The very first cereal was made by pouring milk and sugar on popcorn!



SEPTEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Labor Day – Federal holiday	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19 National Farm Safety & Health Week	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		



Today there are about 1.9 million farms in the US. In 1935, there were about 7 million farms. Rural America is still home to one-fifth of the nation's population.

OCTOBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 Columbus Day – Federal Holiday	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24/31 Halloween 	25	26	27	28	29	30



NOVEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 Veterans Day US federal holiday	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Thanksgiving 	26	27
28	29	30				



Happy Holidays

from the

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DECEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8 Hanukkah 	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas 
26 Kwanzaa begins 	27	28	29	30	31 New Years Eve 	



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